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CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

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SLUMS HURDLE ON RUNWAY OF MUMBAI AIRPORT
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the hurdles in construction of the second adjoining runway of Mumbai airport would be cleared by mid of August, 2002; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHRIPAD Y. NAIK)

(a) and (b): There are two intersecting runways at Chhatrapati Shivaji International Airport, Mumbai. The mainrunway 09/27 is 3489 meters long and the secondary runway 14/32 is 2925 meters long. Due to non-availablity of land at this airport, construction of another parallel runway is not feasible.